Delegate Name: XYZ
Committee: (Official Name; e.g United Nations General Assembly)
Topic: XYZ
Country: Country's Official Name

Country's Flag

1. Background of the Topic (Duration: 1 Paragraph Only)

"Fellow Delegates and Honorable Chair:" → Formal Greeting

- Start with a good introduction, by hooking the attention of the audience. For example, by calling to action and/or showing real and string data about the topic.
- Explain the most important facts about the problem (What?Who?Where?When?), but mostly *Why is the problem important?*
- In the final sentence, invite the fellow delegates to join forces to solve the problem stressing the importance of it (Call To Action)

2. Your Country's Relation to the Topic (1-2 Paragraphs)

- Explain how your country is affected by the topic. Is it in a geographical, social, political, economic,..., manner?
- Past Policies, Actions, Solutions taken by your country on the matter.
- Use Strong Data
- Keep in mind your country's ideals, values and opinions on the topic

3. Proposed Solutions (1 Paragraph)

- This is the most IMPORTANT PART in the Position Paper: the solutions of the topic are the main goal to achieve in a MUN simulation.
- First, invite cooperation with the other delegations and indicate how many solutions you're going to say 2? 5?
- For each proposal, indicate "First","Second","Third", and so on to keep your audience listening.
- Think outside the box, and explore creative ways to solve the problem.
- Search for what has already been done, and how can your delegation (along others) improve it? (Remember ONLY to draw inspiration from them, not to present solutions that have already been made as your own)
- Search for short, middle and long term solutions: What can be done in a month, 5, 12? 3 years?...
- Common Easy Solution Given at MUNs: Educational Campaigns over a problem (e.g.climate crisis)
- Write -5 solutions. Remember! Quality over Quantity
- In the speaker's list, while reading your Position Paper to the whole committee, only read the general ideas of your solutions (More details you give, the more they can ask you!)

● Be polite and thank for the audience's attention at the end.

References

The most common way of referencing sources at a MUN or formal event is in the APA Format.

Here are some links you can use for writing your sources in this special format:

https://www.scribbr.com/citation/generator/apa/

https://www.citationmachine.net/apa

Remember! Use Reliable Sources in your investigation, such as the UN webpage, Past Resolutions, Treaties and Conventions, …

Do not copy + paste information from web pages (The Chair will know and you will have a failing grade)

If you want to use in your paragraphs, a phrase with data, you can use the following format:

"Phrase with data"(Author's Name, Year)

If there's no Author, you can write the name of the Organization of the web page.